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Dear Sir:

This is filed as a supplement response to the final Office Action dated May 18, 2006, and is filed with a Request for Continued Examination. A Notice of Appeal was filed on November 17, 2006, for which an Appeal Brief was due on January 17, 2007. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a five-month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to June 17, 2007. As June 17, 2007 falls on a Sunday, this response is filed the next business day, June 18, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.